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WEATHER REPORT
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Sun rises 6:58; Sun sets 5:31.

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HEARTY WELCOME GIVEN DANIELS

Every Seat in Westminister Building Filled Yesterday Afternoon.

INSPIRING ADDRESS.

Secretary and Many Alexandrians Subsequently Entertained at Home of Robert S Barrett.

Hon. Josephus Daniels, Secretary of the Navy, was given an ovation in Alexandria yesterday afternoon. Notwithstanding snow was flying furiously and conditions out of doors extremely disagreeable, every seat in Westminister Building was filled when the secretary entered accompanied by Hon. C. C. Carlin.

The secretary had been expected at 3 o'clock, but it was 3:25 when he appeared, and during the time the audience awaited him inspiring gospel hymns were sung by the assemblage led by P. J. Dempsey, N. S. Greenaway presiding at the organ. There were also anthems rendered by members of the choir of the M. E. Church South and the Second Presbyterian Church.

When Secretary Daniels and Mr. Carlin entered they were received with hearty cheers. Rev. Dr. J. Lee Allison, in a few appropriate remarks introduced Mr. Carlin, who advanced and delivered a short but suggestive address. Among other things he called attention to the conditions by which the United States is especially blessed at this present time. American diplomacy and a strong American navy were responsible for this order of things. Our diplomacy had been sneered at by Europeans. We had been told we had not been tutored in the school of diplomacy, and were amateurs in statecraft. The astuteness of the greatest statesmen of the old countries however, had launched them into a terrible conflict, while America is a peaceful spectator to the frightful carnage. Mr. Carlin said this country has a navy which commands respect, and it is in charge of a native of our own sunny south. While other countries place military geniuses at the head of their navy, the United States during her entire history had insisted upon a civilian occupying this post. He then proceeded to introduce Mr. Daniel, who was received with great applause.

The speaker for about forty minutes kept his audience intent on catching every word he uttered. He spoke in a good-humored manner, his address abounding in pleasantries although there was a vein of spirituality which was food for all present. He spoke of the early days of Christianity, when followers of the Nazarene took their lives in their hands in bearing witness to the truth, also to a subsequent period when Voltaire and others attempted to eliminate faith from the earth by a attacking the credibility of the Bible. The speaker then came down to the present day, when there are not so many arguing against the truths of the scriptures, but when an era of neglect of all that is called holy is so apparent. He said we are living in a day when the preachers' coadjutors are women, the men being truly "laymen"—that is they lie in the wagon and allow themselves to be pulled. The men should be the allies of the ministers and should vie with them in every movement for the good of the race.

Secretary Daniels in referring to the bloody struggle across the sea said:

"Every head in Europe is now saying "My hands are clean of the cause of this struggle, and no one knows anything about the causes of the war. Many of the men in the trenches are mere boys," he added.

The secretary urged the men to build character and map out their plan of life as the architect does a build[ing]. "If you wish to change the [world] you have got to teach [the] man," he asserted.

In again referring [to] ness manifested toward the claims of religion Mr. Daniels said:

"Men stand in the pulpits with one half of the people riding in automobiles and reading Sunday papers, acting as if religion does not concern their lives. Sometimes I wonder at the power of the church with such indifference."

Secretary Daniels however, said he believes the world is getting better. Failures and wrecks, he said, are caused by making a career rather than making character. He told his auditors their business is to make a life and to draw their plans first.

A few weeks ago he said, he talked to Carnegie on "peace movement armor plate," He said he asked him to what he attributed his success in life, and he replied, "Before the sun rises I awake and there comes flashes to me." The speaker declared he thought this was divine illumination.

The secretary was roundly applauded when he concluded his address, and most of those present moved to the stand for the purpose of being introduced to him.

The meeting was closed with benediction by Rev. O. W. Triplett, pastor of the Second Baptist Church.

Secretary and Mrs. Daniels were afterward entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Robert S. Barrett at their home, 408 Duke street.

NEWS OF THE DAY

George C. Miller, who shot and killed his wife in York, Pa., Saturday night and then fired a bullet through his heart, died a short time later.

The body of Alonzo G. Gardner, of Baltimore, one of the two brothers who disappeared three weeks ago while on a hunting trip up the Ocklawaha river, Florida, was found yesterday in a dense palmetto thicket that extends along the banks of Raft Creek, one quarter of a mile away from their last camping place, near Georgetown, Fla. Death had been caused by a shot in the back of the head. His pockets had been rifled.

Mrs. Chester D. Hubbard was the hostess Friday afternoon at the meeting of the Rosemont Bridge Club at her house in Cedar street. The players were Mrs. Wilmer Joyce Waller, Mrs. Frank B. Warwick, Mrs. Charles E. Dare, Mrs. Leonard Reed, Mrs. Isaac Gregg, Mrs. John C. Freeland, Miss Christina Kemper and Mrs. Hubbard.

While kneeling in prayer before a shrine in Forestville, N. Y., yesterday, Pauline Dierdorf, 7 years old, was shot dead by Phillip Valvo, a 17 year old companion. The boy had been at the prayer services. He left before they were over, and, getting his father's shotgun, returned and shot the girl in the head. He reruses to tell what prompted the act.

"If Italy does not enter the war on the side of the triple entente at the desired moment, which it is not for me to indicate, there will be the gravest disorders in my country," said General Ricciotti Garibaldi, who arrived in Paris yesterday. "The death of my two sons has completely upset Prince von Buelow's intrigues in Italy. His mission has failed absolutely." Hugh crowds enthusiastically cheered the Italian patriot.

Prompted by a "movie" picture of crime whic h he saw in a theater at Hammond, Ind., Richard Durnion, a 13 year old boy, turned hold-up man, He crept up behind Mrs. John Leary, wife of a city official, and dealt her what may be a fatal blow with a club. After robbing her he held up Miss Delia Hartke in a savage attack, and also took her valuables. He also stopped several children. The lad was arrested at a skating rink and was a walking arsenal. He confessed numerous robberies and said he was practicing so he could beat the "movie" actors in holdups.

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LEGAL FLAW IN THE TAX BILL

Attorney General Holds Tavenner Amendment Unconstitutional

WILL TEST LEGALITY.

Opponents of Weaver-Buchanan Measure Will Not Quit Fight Even After its Adoption

Richmond, Feb. 8—On its way to assured concurrence in the House of Delegates Saturday, the Tavenner amendment to the administration's segregation bill was halted by an opinion of Attorney-General John Garland Pollard, who pronounced the amendment unconstitutional.

Thus was final action on the tax measure delayed until today.

The opinion was given in response to a request contained in a resolution adopted by the House. Few of the members, however, anticipated an opinion adverse to the amendment. But it was deemed wise to take the precaution.

According to the Attorney-General it will be necessary only to change the language. The effect of the amendment, he says, can be retained The unexpected delay occasioned much disappointment, for the members of both branches of the Legislature were looking forward to the final action with feelings of relief.

Attorney-General Pollard sent his written opinion to the House shortly after the noon hour, When it was read, Delegate Aubrey G. Weaver moved that the House refuse to concur in the Tavenner amendment to the segregation bill, and the motion was adopted. The Senate having adjourned, an immediate conference between committees of the two branches was impossible.

It was decided to make the amendment a subject for conference today.

The passage by the General Assembly of the bill, will not finally determine Virginia's tax system according to some of its opponents in the Senate who publicly declare that it will be taken to the courts for the determination of its constitutionality.

The bill is as cleverly unconstitutional as the Travenner amendment. said Senator Featherston, of Lynchburg. last night. "I made that argument in the Senate and still am of that opinion.

Other Senators and some members of the House hold the same view and it is understood that after the bill has received the signature of the Governor, it will be tested in the courts. The fight against the measure is not yet ended and will not be ended even after its pasage.

Segregation leaders expect both houses to name the conferees today to harmonize House and Senate differences and to renew the Tavenner amendment along the lines suggested by Attorney-General. The work of the committee is not expected to be difficult or to consume any great length of time.

ARREST IN SHOOTING CASE.

Suspects Believed to be in Possession of Valuable Information.

The condition of Mrs. John W. Meagher, wife of an artilleryman stationed at Fort Myer, who was shot while standing in the doorway of her home Thursday night, was declared to be better yesterday by physicians at Georgetown University Hospital in Washington. Unless unexpected complication arise, her recovery is looked for.

Edward Meams, living near Courtland Station, was arrested early Sunday morning by the Virginia authorities in connection with the case. He is said to be an intimate friend of Nota McKinley, who was arrested Saturday. Both men are believed by Sheriff Barbor's office to possess valuable knowledge of the shooting. Meams is being held for vagrancy. He denies knowing of the shooting.

BILL PASSES SENATE

Police Justice Matter Settled by Upper House of Assembly.

A telephone message was received from Senator R. E. Thornton at noon today announcing that the measure to repeal the "Police and Civil" Justice bill and place Alexandria as is it is at present, passed the Senate today. It passed the House on Saturday. This will end a tangle that threatened to cause some complications for the city of Alexandria.

ROUMANIANS IN BATTLE

Engagement Declared to Have Been Brought on When Austrian Forces Violated Roumanian Territory.

Paris, Feb. 8—Austrian troops have violated the Roumanian frontier near Turn Severin, the Journal is informed in a dispatch from its Nish correspondent. The Austrians are reported to have fired on frontier guards who attempted to oppose their passage, and a furious fight followed.

Strong reinforcements came to help of the Roumanians, and, after a three hour struggle, the Austrians are reported to have been driven back across the line with a large number of wounded.

If the Austrians had captured Turn Severin, the correspondent says, they would have had complete command of Kladovo, the only place in Serbia on the Danube permitting communication with Roumania.

The incident, which occurred several days ago, has not been followed up by either side, the Journal's report states.

NEW EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

Church of the Epiphany at Cheerydale, Alexandria County, Opens.

The opening service of the new Episcopal Church of The Epihpany at Cherrydale, one of the suburban towns in Alexandria county, rapidly developing around Washington, took place yesterday at 11 o'clock. Bishop Coadjutor Brown, of Virginia, first read a short but beautiful service of benediction for the new church, and then administered the rite of confirmation to six candidates, who were presented by the Rev. Dr. S. A. Wallis, of the Theological Seminary.

Bishop Brown preached a very appropriate sermon for the occasion, and spoke of the remarkable work of the congregation in the erection of their church with much appreciation.

The people certainly had a mind to the work. With their own hands they constructed most of the building, which is a credit to their diligent and consecrated labor. For after they had finished their own duties in Washington or in the neighborhood, they worked overtime at night, sometimes until ten or eleven o'clock. So the opening service was a time of rejoicing to all the congregation.

Bishop Brown administered the Holy Communion, assisted by Dr. Wallis. After service he confirmed a member of the vestry who was too sick to attend church. At present the church is ministered to by students from the Seminary under the supervision of Dr. Wallis.

The Seminary had a number of visitors last week, all of them former alumni. The Rev. C. Braxton Bryan, D .D., rector of Grace Church, Petersburg, Va., came to deliver an address before the Students' Missionary Society on colored work in the Episcopal Church, especially in the dioceses of Virginia and Southern Virginia. He gave an interesting presentation of the whole subject, which was enjoyed by the audience.

The Revs. W. G. McDowell, of Emmanuel Church, Staunton, Va., and Middleton Stuart Barnwell, of the Church of the Advent, Birmingham, Ala., spent a day or two on the Hill, and the Rev. C. N. Tyndell, of Christ Church, Williamsport, Pa., also paid a flying visit. All these gentlemen were guests of Dr. Wallis.

Mrs. R. W. Micou, widow of the late Professor Micou, is the guest of her son-in-law, Mr. John McDaniel, at the High School.

Mrs. Oscar Randolph, of Lexington, Va., is the guest of her father, Dean Crawford, of the Seminary.

GERMANS MAKE FIERCE ASSAULTS

Attempt to Lift Menace to Left Wing at Any Sacrifice

AFTER THE HEIGHTS.

Face Terrible Fire From Russian Light Artillery—Czar Nicholas Watching the Battle.

Petrograd, Feb. 8—Under the eye of Emperor William, German regiments are vigorously assaulting the new Russian positions near Kamion on the left bank of the Bzura.

General Mackensen has ordered that the menace to the left wing of the German army in front of Warsaw be lifted at any cost. The Germans are attempting to capture the heights occupied by Russian troops after they forced a crossing of the Bzura, near its confluence with the Vistula. They are facing a galling fire from Russian light artillery, which was wheeled across the river on hastily constructed bridges.

Czar Nicholas, it is unofficially stated here, is watching the battle in the Bolimow region. The Russians are again on the offensive around Bolimow, and are smashing against the German positions with series of infantry charges that have resulted in satisfactory gains.

The Austro-German forces have been unable to follow up their temporary successes in the Beskid passes. From positions evacuated by the Russians two days ago they attempted a further advance, but were thrown back and forced to surrender the ground taken Saturday, retreating along a line of nearly a quarter of a mile.

CRUEL ATTACK ON BOY.

Snowballers Pour Kerosene on Youth And Apply Match.

New York, Feb. 8.—Two squads of boy snowball fighters met yesterday afternoon in front of 27 East 134th street and began a battle, which became more and more furious as the day wore on.

Snow forts were built on either side of the street and now one side and then the other would charge.

One of the crack throwers on the north side of the street was eleven year old Edward O'Brien. So accurate was his aim that other boys began making snowballs for him and keeping him well supplied with ammunition.

Every time a head showed above the opposite fort it was in danger of being hit. The opposing side became angry and threatened the young sharpshooter.

About dusk Edward's mother called him into the house. The boy darted toward the door, slipped, and fell.

Instantly half a dozen of the opposing side were on top of him. Looking on from the window of his home was William Matthews, and passing on the opposite side of the street was Edward McCormick.

According to these men the boys handled Edward roughly. Suddenly a boy they did not know pushed through the crowd and poured kerosene from a can on the prostrate boy. Then the same boy or another one touched a lighted match to Edward's clothing and it flamed up.

As he screamed in pain and rolled about in the sonw all the boys took to their heels. The two men ran to the burning boy's aid, threw snow on the flames and wrapped him in their coats, but before the fire was out the boy's clothing had been almost burned off and his flesh in places was almost charged. He was taken to Lincoln Hospital. His condition is critical.

The names of the boys guilty of the cruelty are unknown.

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LOCAL BREVITIES

A horse driven by Granville Studds, of Fairfax County, ran away Saturday night throwing Mr. Studds from the buggy and causing a fracture of his left arm. Mr. Studds was treated by Dr. Walter A. Warfield.

Officers for the ensuing year will be nominated tonight by Alexandria Lodge of Elks which will hold a meeting for that purpose.

Funeral services for the late John N. Schafe were held Sunday afternoon from his residence and were attended by members of Potomac and Sarepta Lodges of Odd Fellows.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Franklin was buried yesterday afternoon, the Rev. P. P. Phillips, rector of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, officiating.

FARMER SHOOTS TEN GIRLS

Merry Party Coming to Suprise Bride Repelled by Shotgun

Lexington, Ky., Feb., 8—William Mc Intosh, a wealthy farmer, was arrested in Lee County yesterday charged with shooting and seriously wounding 10 young women. A daughter of McIntosh had been married and she and her husband were visiting at McIntosh's home. Late at night a crowd of girl friends of the bride determined to pay her a surprise visit and take her some presents they had made for her. As the young women approached the McIntosh home the father, awakened from a sound sleep thought the sounds of laughter came from a crowd of serenaders. McIntosh threw open a window and demanded that the noise cease, but the young women pressed on, laughing and talking.

McIntosh then opened fire on the crowd with a shotgun. He fired three shots, and wounded young women fell in every direction. Ten of them received serious wounds and others had their clothing pierced with shots. None of the merrymakers will die, but the wounds are serious.

As soon as McIntosh realized what he had done he summoned help and assisted the injured girls into the house. Feling is running high against McIntosh who was taken to jail, and is held there pending the outcome of the hurts of the girls.

RAMS HOT POKER IN CANNON

Boy Sets off Charge of Powder and Destroys Both Eyes.

Philadelphia. Feb. 8— Both of the eyes of 11 year old Edawrd Marcu were burned out by the sudden firing of a toy connon. into which he stuffed a hot poker last night in his home, No. 1307 North Second St.

Evidently the cannon was loaded with powder last Fourth of July, but the lad thought ti was empty. A neighbor's boy brought it into the Marcu home and the two lads played on the floor with it. Looking down the barrel young Marcu saw what he thought was a wad of paper. He tried to get it out with a knife but it wouldn't move, so he stuck a poker into the stove and when it become red hot rammed it down the muzzle.

There was a sudden explosion and into the boy's face. He uttered a cry into the boys face. He uttered a cry of agony and rolled on the floor with his hands before his face. His parents ran into the room and found him there. His whole face was black and his eyeballs were literally burned to ashes. He was taken to St. Mary's Hospital, where the doctors found all chances for his regaining his sight gone, athough they may save his life.

While there is no essential change in the Chicago wheat market as viewed impartially, a halt has been called in the upward trend of values for the time being. While importing countries will be forced to make additional heavy purchases in order to feed their soldiers and citizens the demand was less urgent during the latter part of last week. It must be remembered that Argentina has an exportable surplus of probably 95,000,000 bushels and while this wheat has been damaged somewhat by heavy rains it will make flour.

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THE LUSITANIA FLAG INCIDENT

British Foreign Office Believes its Use Was Justifiable.

PRINCIPLE UPHELD

This Government Expected to Point Out to Germany Danger Attached to Submarine Raids.

London, Feb. 8— England does not expect a formal protest from the United States because of the Lusitania flag incident. The foreign office believes it has shown clearly that the use of the American flag was justified.

Any diplomatic exchanges resulting from the hoisting of the Stars and Stripes over the British liner are expected to pass between Germany and the United States, not Great Britain and the United States.

This was the position taken by both the foreign office and the admiralty today.

It was held here that not only the British and German governments but the United States had tacitly upheld the principle that vessels, to escape capture, are justified in flying flags of other nations.

In the Spanish-American war, one official asserted the American navy restorted to this practice on two occasions, though the American naval code specifically forbids it.

That Germany will seize upon the Lusitania incident to emphasize her warning of the danger to neutral shipping off the English coast is deemed certain here.

On the other hand, foreign office attaches say they believe the same incident will be cited by the United States and other neutral nations as a basis for even stronger protest against Germany's "blockade" of the English coast.

With the concrete example furnished by the Lusitania, Washington is expected to point out to Germany the danger attached to indiscriminate submarine raids upon merchant shipping.

SUGAR STEAMER ON FIRE.

Grindon Hall Puts Back to Norfolk 150 Miles Out.

Norfolk, Va., Feb. 8— With flames and smoke pouring out of her ventilators the British steamer Grindon Hall came into Norfolk yesterday after an exciting race of 150 miles.

The vessel is loaded with sugar and left this port Friday night for Falmouth, England. She had put in here for coal after loading 8,600 tons of sugar at Cardenas and Havana.

The fire was discovered in the hold under the deckhouse while the Grindon Hall was over 150 miles at sea. The effort of the crew to subdue the flames proved futile. Befores he reached Cape Henry the decks of the vessel became so hot that they burned the feet of her crew. When the ship passed Cape Henry flames were coming out of the ventilators.

At Lambert's Point her crew made renewed attempts to extinguish the blaze by turning steam into the hold

When the hatches which ripped an explosion ensued which ripped the decks for some distance. The explosion is supposed to have been caused by the acummulation of gases. The hatches were put back and the process of subduing the flames with steam was continued.

Captain Jones says he cannot account for the origin of the fire.

A guard was placed around the steamer last night.

NOTICE.

The annual meeting of the George Washington Birthday Association will be held in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce, Wednesday evening, February 10, 1915, at 8 o'clock P. M. A full attendance is desired as important business is to be transacted.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Interesting News Notes About People of Alexandria—Happenings in Society.

Miss Anne Lewis Jones entertained last evening most charmingly at an appointed buffet supper in honor of Miss Barbara Fowle Campbell, of Charlestown, West Virginia.

The table was attractive with its glass candlesticks interlaced with yellow ribbons to the crystal vases bearing jonquil blooms. In the center a large brass basket overflowed with these golden harbingers of spring.

The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Garner L. Boothe, Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Burke, Lieutenant and Mrs. Charles Minnegerode Maigne, of Washington, Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Beverley, Miss Elizabeth Dulaney Herbert, Miss Harriett Bolling Douglas, Miss Lila Waller Barrett, and Miss Kittie Steele Barrett and Messrs. Robley D. Brumback, Jack Stephenson, Jack Barrett, and Arthur Herbert.

Miss Kate Uhler is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Machen, of Richmond, where she is being extensively entertained.

Honorable Lawrence Y. Sherman, United Staes Senator from Illinois, and family, spent Sunday in the city the guests of their cousin, Mrs. William Le Hew, in King Street.

Little Miss Evelyn Lewis Pickett entertained a few of her friends at a charming little tea Thursday afternoon at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George E. Pickett, in Prince street, in celebration of her fourth birthday.

Hon. J. Fred Birrell, delegate of the city and county of Alexandria, in the general assembly came from Richmond Saturday night to spend Sunday with his family.

The Alexandria Assembly will give their final dance before the Lenten season Friday evening, February 12, in the auditorium of the Elks' Home.

Mrs. McCormick, of Berryville, is the guest of Mrs. Marshall MacDonald, at her home in Cameron street.

Miss Emily Johnson and Miss Katherine Waller are the committee in charge of the annual "girls' German" the return dance of the ladies to the members of the Alexandria German Club. The date set for this dance is Saturday, February 13.

RICHMOND'S VICE DISTRICT

Mayor's Commission Files Long Awaited Report With Drastic Recommendations.

Richmond, Feb. 8—Completing its investigations, extending over a period of several months, in which was included sixty days of intensive work under the direction of experts from the American Social Hygiene Association, the Vice Commission, appointed last March by Mayor Ainslie to investigate the social evil as it exists in this city has filed a nine page typewritten report with the Mayor, summarizing the local situation and recommending the immediate enforcement of the laws against vicious rendezvous of every character.

The report presents an abridged statement of vice conditions in Richmond, and depicts a state of affairs which, while not as deplorable as in other cities, is yet a grave reproach to the community.

After setting forth categorically the extent and form of commercialized and other kinds of vice in this city, the report recommends that the law forbidding disorderly houses, places of commercial vice, including the so-called segregated district, and all other places used for immoral purposes be at once rigidly enforced looking to the closing at once of all such places as provided by the laws of the Commonwealth of Virginia and the city of Richmond.

RICHMOND THEATRE.

The three part melodrama 413 (Four thirteen) is a story of a man who is apparently honorable and upright in all his dealings. In reality he is a crook and a villian. To escape detection, he boards an engine attached to a train of cars, throws open the throttle, grapples with the engineer and throws him from the cab. At sixty miles an hour, the train plunges down a 52-foot embankment. His death reveals his identity and discloses his character. This picture is featured for tomorrow night.

SCOTTISH RITE MASONS

Big Rally of Members of Order in Alexandria Planned For Friday Night.

Plans for a big rally of the Scottish Rite Masons of Alexandria next Friday night are being rapidly made by a committee which have the arrangements in charge. The meeting will be held in the lodge room of Alexandria Washington Lodge and will be under the auspices of Washington Memorial Lodge of Perfection, No. 7, A. A. S. R. An effort is being made to have every member of the organization residing in Alexandria and vicinity present and the committee is calling on each personally and asking their co-operation. At this meeting a number of important plans for a spring reunion at which time all the Scottish Rite degrees will be conferred, will be discussed. The lodge will be opened in full form by Venerable Master A. A. Paul and his officers.

The committee in charge of the arrangements consists of Robert S. Barrett, chairman; Percy E. Clift, H. Noel Garner, Frank W. Latham and W. S. Connelly.

WILL CLOSE BUSINESS.

While the state-wide prohibition bill which received a large majority of the votes of the people of Virginia in the election held in September will not go into effect for eighteen months, a number of Alexandria wholesale and retail liquor dealers are preparing to close their places of business at the end of the present fiscal year, which will be May 31st. It is estimated that there will be at least a reduction of twenty-five per cent in the number of licenses granted for next year.

THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY.

The Quarterly Bulletin of the Protestant Episcopal Seminary in Virginia, near Alexandria, has been issued from the Barrett Press in this city. This is the catalogue number, and contains the names of the faculty students, and alumni. The publication is embellished with beautiful and clear illustrations of the buildings of this institution, and contains much useful and interesting reading.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

Monthly Meeting of Organization Will be Held Tonight.

The monthly meeting of the Chamber of Commerce will take place tonight in their rooms when a report will be made by James T. Preston, secretary and treasurer, who was the representative at the meeting of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States held in Washington last week. A report will also be received from the committee on state taxation.

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The Bottomless Pit
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The Famine
All Japanese Cast

Thanhouser Comedy
The Volunteer Fireman

American Feature
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TOMORROW
Reliance Two Part Drama
The Love Pirate
Universal Serial
THE MASTER KEY
Part 5.

WEDNESDAY
Dorothy Donnelly, Richard Bennett in
THE THIEF

COMMITTEE SELECTED

Grand Master Park P. Deans Will Visit Potomac Lodge of Odd Fellows Friday Night.

The following committee has been appointed to make arrangement for the visit to the Odd Fellows of Alexandria and vicinity next Friday of Park P. Deans, grand master of Odd Fellows of Virginia: O. H. Hullings, A. J. Butcher, H. E. Webb, John S. Watkins, Roger Sullivan, H. C. Clark, I. S. Groves, and C. E. Remington.

One of the features of the evening will be the conferring of the fourth degree on four candidates by Potomac Lodge's degree staff under the direction of Captain W. L. Martin.

Grand Master Deans is the Commonwealth Attorney for Isle of Wight County. He was a Wilson delegate to the Baltimore Convention in 1912, and was appointed by Governor Mann on the commission for the uniformity of legislation and is a colonel on the staff of Governor Stuart. He is also vice president of the Baptist Association of Virginia, and superintendent of the Sunday school work in Isle of Wright County. He is a young man, full of vigor, and enthusiasm for practical Odd Fellowship, and is devoting his best energies in behalf of the order.

There will no doubt be a large attendance of Odd Fellows to greet him on next Friday night.

CONTRACT FOR HIGHWAY.

The contract for building the proposed Mt. Vernon Highway between Arlington Cemetery, where it connects with the new military highway extending to the south end of the highway bridge across the Potomac, and Alexandria is to be let to the W. P. McDonald Construction Company whose bid was $54,173.96.

DISORDER ON KING ST

In Police Court this morning Justice Caton imposed a fine of $5 upon Harry B. Gray, who was charged with creating a disorder on King street, near the corner of Washington, Saturday night. According to the testimony Gray made an attack upon his wife, whom he is suing for divorce, and also upon a young man named Brown. The last two were compelled to take refugee in a jewelry store.

ASKS COUNCIL FOR SITE.

Lura Appliance Company to Come Here if Request is Granted.

At the meeting of City Council tomorrow night it is expected that Council will be asked to reenact the ordinance which was repealed in 1907 granting the Ideal Hospital Bed Company the lease with the privilege of purchasing of three squares of land owned by the city in the northeastern section, bounded by Royal, Montgomery, First and the Potomac River. The land is to be used by the Dr. A. Luria Ideal Hospital Appliance Company for the location of a large factory and a number of residences for their employees. It is stated that if the city grants the lease work on the buildings will be commenced on April 1st.

LOAN FLOATED.

The finance committee of City Council of which Captain Albert Bryan is chairman, has floated a loan of $50,000 at five per cent the proceeds to be used for the erection of the new high school building and to pay the cost of the recently completed house for the Relief Hoof and Ladder Company.

L. Harrison Kell, living at the corner of Fairfax and Queen street, had a narrow escape from being burned to death yesterday morning when a cloth near the stove in a room in which he was sleeping caught fire, igniting the window sill. He was rescued by neighbors.

WANTED—Light house work in Alexandria by white girl of experience who has been employed for eight years in one place, and can give the best of reference. Address 535 Kenyon Street, N. W., Washington, D. C. 8-3t.

LOST—Gold Watch and Fob Enitials A. B. K. on Fob and K on Watch If found Return to Capital City Telephone Office and receive reward.

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RECEPTION TO MR. DANIELS.

The turnout of our citizens yesterday for the purpose of welcoming to Alexandria Hon. Josephus Daniels, Secretary of the Navy, was a pleasant incident in our history. It was also an enjoyable occasion, and appreciated by the genial member of President Wilson's cabinet. The audience in Westminster Building was composed of members of all denominations, Catholics, Protestants and Israelities mingled, and all were amply repaid for braving the elements for the purpose of listening to his inspiring address.

A synopsis of his remarks will be found elsewhere in the Gazette. It abounded in apt illustrations, pleasant anecdotes and suggestive figures of speech and he said many things which will doubtless be remembered by his auditors. There was no attempt to deliver a crazy-quilt speech, so often pursued by public men, especially the young, by quoting or referring to everything possible from ancient or modern history, but his address was homely, rather on the lines of Abraham Lincoln, and his truths were driven home in a pleasant and good-natured manner.

There was one truth he uttered which struck many present. It was, substantially, that one man's recipe for success would prove a failure should another man adopt it. Mr. Carnegie, he said, had been animated by what the great iron monger termed "flushes."

What Mr. Daniels sought to show his hearers was this: that a man should concentrate all his powers upon his especial calling, howsoever humble it might be.

We are convinced that this is the proper course. Every man is not intended to be an Andrew Carnegie nor President of the United States. It is true Lincoln split rails, Sherman was a shoemaker, Garfield drove mules on a canal, Simon Cameron set type and Benjamin Franklin was at one time a hungry tramp in Philadelphia. All, however, performed their part afithfully on every rung of the ladder until they reached the top where there is always room for genius.

When the Children of Israel were passing from Egypt to Canaan every man was assigned his special post. There were then, as now, positions of honor and so-called dishonor. The duty of one party was to gather the tent pins when camp was broken—only this and nothing more. The great mass of the world are but tent pin gatherers at present, but

Honor and fame from no condition rise:
Act well your part, there all the honor lies.

HOISTED THE AMERICAN FLAG.

The disastrous war now devastating certain sections of Europe is flashing other pictures as well as those of horror. The raising of the American flag to the peak of the giant Cunarder Lusitania on her last voyage across the Atlantic Ocean, in order to protect her from German torpedoboats, is one of the most suggestive events of the present conflict. What would have been said less than a century ago had Brittania been told the time was coming when one of the largest and best of her ships would be forced to cross the ocean under the protection of the flag of the United States—a nation regarded as one of the wayward cubs of the great British lion? Such, however, is a fact, at this day.

When the United States was but a tottering infant in the family of nations her representatives at the Court of St. James were regarded as grotesque figures. They were grotesque in their dress, carried no swords with their suits, and in their hats had no gorgeous plumes. Their manners were likewise uncouth, however, of the Ben Franklin order. They were rough diamonds and knew their time would come.

The offspring of the mother country is now a great nation, and exerting great influence in the world. It is no longer a stumbling infant, regarded with contempt by its progenitors. It has long since assumed the proportions of a giant, to whom the mother looks for protection in the most critical epoch in her history.

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NOTICE

The Annual Meeting of the stockholders of the Airy View Apartment House Company, Incorporated, will be held at Rooms 1 & 2, Alexandria National Bank Building, Alexandria Virginia, on Tuesday, February 23, at 2:30 o'clock P. M., for the election of Directors and for the transaction of such other business as may properlycome before said meeting.
B. W. PARKER, Secretary.

NOTICE

The Annual Meeting of the stockholders of Parkwood Apartment House Company, incorporated, will be held at Rooms 1 & 2, Alexandria National Bank Building, Alexandria, Virginia, on Tuesday, February 23, 1115, at 2:15 P. M. for the election of Directors and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting.
B. W. PARKER, Secretary.

NOTICE

The Annual Meeting of the stockholders of Woodley Apartment House Company will be held at Room 1 & 2, Alexandria National Bank Building, Alexandria, Virginia, on Tuesday, February 23, 1915, at 2 o'clock P. M., for the election of Directors and for the transaction of such other business as may proporly come before said meeting.
B. W. PARKER, Secretary.

CATTLE QUARANTINE.

Governor Will Protect Virginia From Foot-And-Mouth Disease.

Richmond, Feb. 8.—Governor Stuart has declared a quarantine against seventeen States in which the dangerous disease, known as the foot and mouth disease, exists among live stock. No cattle, sheep, other ruminents or swine shall be brought into the State for any purpose until the quarantine is lifted or modified. Hides, skins, wool, manure, hair, horns or hoofs, as well as hay, straw and similar fodder, except shipments accompanied by a Federal permit, are also barred.

ENDS LIFE WITH BULLET.

Ashland, Va., Feb. 8.—Miss Emma Taylor, 23 years old, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry F. Taylor, shot and instantly killed herself early Saturday night in her home, on Howard street. Despondency, caused by poor health, is believed to have led to her self-destruction. Miss Taylor was a stenographer, and until about a year ago had been employed in Richmond. Failing health caused her to give up her position.

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Double tip matches 7 boxes	25c	A&P Pumpkin can	7c
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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Having qualified as Administrator of the estate of the late Hugh L. Strider, deceased, all persons indebted to the estate are requested to make prompt settlement and all persons to whom the estate may be indebted are requested to present their claims properly authenticated for settlement. The business and stock of said Hugh L. Strider is for sale and those interested will please apply to the undersigned.
ROBERT W. BALLENGER, Administrator.

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For Washington and points north daily at 8:03 A. M., 9:45, 11:53 12:01, 1:18, 2:30 (through train for New York, via P. R. R.) 6:19 8:18, 11:38 p. m., week days, at 8:03 p. m., Sundays only 8:07 p. m.
For Fredericksburg, Richmond, and points south at 4:37, 7:53, (local) and 9:17 a. m., 12:36, 3:22 5:17 (local) 9:47, p. m. daily.
Accommodation for Fredericksburg at 7:18 a. m., daily except Saturday when train leaves 1:18 p. m. This train runs through to Milford except Sundays and Holidays.
NOTE—Hours of arrival and departure are approximate and not guaranteed.
W. P. [illegible], Traffic Mgr.

S. H. LUNT, Auctioneer. PUBLIC SALE

Large House and Lot.

By virtue of a decree of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, entered on January 11th, 1915, in the Chancery cause therein depending of William Kyer and others, Complainants, against Albert Woodson and others, Defendants, the undersigned Special Commissioner of Sale was therein ordered to expose for sale, at public auction in front of the Royal Street entrance to the Market House in the City of Alexandria, Virginia, decedent Maria Hudson's house and lot located on the north side of Oronoco Street between Royal and Pitt Streets, in Alexandria City, Va.

Therefore in pursuance of said decree the undersigned Special Commissioner of Sale will expose to sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash said large house and lot on SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 1915, AT 12 NOON, in front of the Royal Street entrance to the market Building, Alexandria, Virginia, being bounded and described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at a point on the north side of Oronoco Street 88 feet 3 in east of Pitt Street and running thence east on Oronoco street 19 feet; thence north parallel with Pitt street 94 feet to an alley 16 feet wide thence west on said alley 19 feet; feet; thence south parallel with Pitt street 94 feet to the beginning, and being known as No. 421 Oronoco St.

TERMS: CASH. Conveyancing to be at cost of purchaser.
ROBINSON MONCURE
Special Commissioner of Sale.

In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of Alexandria City, Virginia, February 3rd, 1915.

I, N. S. Greenaway, Clerk of aforesaid Court, do certify that Robinson Moncure, the above said special commissioner of Sale, has duly given bond as provided by law and decree entered in above named cause with United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company as his surety, for the due performance of his duties as such.
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY Clerk

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

To all creditors of Mary A. Matthews, deceased, and Fred C. Matthews, take notice that the undersigned Special Commissioner of the Corporation Court of Alexandria, Virginia, appointed such by decree entered in the suit of Benjamin W. Guy and Joseph H. Curran, trading as Guy, Curran and Company, who sues, etc., vs. Fred C. Matthews, et als., now pending in the said Corporation Court, January 11, 1915, for the purpose of ascertaining and reporting.

First: Of what property, both real and personal, the said Mary A. Matthews died seized.

Second: The taxes and other liens upon the said property, and all the debts of the said Mary A. Matthews, deceased, and the order of their priority if any.

Third. To state and settle account between the estate of the said Mary A. Matthews, deceased, and the said Fred C. Matthews, administrator de son tort.

Fourth: What would be proper counsel fee for attorney for the complainant, for filing and conducting this suit.

Fifth: And any other matters or things pertinent to the issue in this cause which may be required by any party in interest.

Said Special Commissioner has fixed upon Saturday, February 27th, 1915, at 10 o'clock a. m., at his office 109 North Fairfax street, Alexandria Virginia, as the time and place of executing said decree, at which time and place he will proceed to prove claims, settle accounts and execute decree as above set out.

If not concluded on day named execution or same to be continued from time to time at same place until executed.

Given under my hand this 23rd day of January, 1915.
R. D. BRUMBACK

EXECUTRIX NOTICE.

Having qualified as executrix of the estate of the late William Rogers, all persons indebted to the estate are requested to make prompt settlement and all persons to whom the estate may be indebted are requested to present their claims properly authenticated for settlement.
MARY E. ROGERS. Executrix.

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P. M.—12 20, 12 40, 1 00, 1 20, 1 40, 2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40, 4 00, 4 20, 4 40 5 00, 5 20, 5 40, 6 00, 6 20, 6 40, 7 00, 7 20, 7 35, 8 00, 8 30, 9 00, 9 30, 10 00, 10 30, 11 10, 11 55.

Sundays and Holidays

A. M.—7 00, 7 20, 7 40, 8 00, 8 20 8 40, 9 00, 9 20, 9 40, 10 00, 10 20, 10 40, 11 00, 11 20, 11 40, 12 00 noon.

P. M.—12 20, 12 40, 1 00, 1 20, 1 40, 2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40, 4 00, 4 20, 4 40, 5 00, 5 20, 5 40, 6 00, 6 20, 6 40, 7 00, 7 20, 7 35, 8 00, 8 30, 9 00, 9 30, 10 30, 10 30, 11 10.

Leave Alexandria For Mt Vernon.

A. M.—Week Days—5 35, 6 55, 7 55 8 55, 10 30, 11 30,—P. M.—12 30, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 4 35, 5 35, 6 35, 7 35, 8 52, 10 20, 11 50.

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LOST—On Tuesday, January 26, 1915, a Daughter of Confederacy Pin. Finder will please return to King and Columbus Street ticket office and receive reward. 2-3t.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Having qualified as sergeant-administrator of the estate of the late Asa J. Dawson, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make prompt settlement and all persons to whom the estate may be indebted to requested to present their claims properly authenticated for settlement.
ROBERT H. COX, Sergeant-Administrator.

FOR LEASE—Two fishing shores along the Potomac, near Marshall Hall, Md., to lease for year 1915. Bar landing fishing shore, and the lower shore. Apply to Mrs. H. B. Elliott, Marshall Hall, Md.

The regular annual stockholder's meeting of the Fidelity Storage Company will be held at its office, 122 South Fairfax Street, Alexandria, Va., Wednesday, February 10th, 1915, at 3:00 P. M.
26-12t. P. H. SMYTH, Secretary.

SOUTHERN RAILWAY

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In effect October 18, 1914

N. B.—Following schedule figures are published only as information and are not guaranteed.

Trains leave Union Station, Alexandria.

7:47 A. M., Daily—Local between Washington & Danville delivers connection daily except Sunday at Orange to C & O. No. 403 for Gordonsville and Richmond.

8:47 A. M.—Daily— Local for Harrisonburg and way stations. Buffet parlor car.

9:37 A. M. Daily— U. S. Fast Mail stops only for passengers to points south to which scheduled to stop First class coaches Sleeping cars to Birmingham and New Orleans. Dining car service. Stops at Calverton to let off Warrenton branch passengers.

10:32 A. M. Daily—Mail train, coaches for Manassas, Warrenton, Charlottesville, Lynchburg, Danville, and Greensboro. Sleeping car from Greensboro to Atlanta.

3:52 P. M. Daily— local for Charlottesville connecting at Calverton for Warrenton.

4:52 P. M. Daily—Birmingham Special Sleeping cars between New York, Atlanta, Columbus, Anniston, Birmingham, Through first class coaches between Washington, Atlanta and Birmingham, Dining car service Tourist to California daily.

4:12 P. M. —Limited for Harrisonburg and way Stations on Manassas branch. Pullman Buffet parlor cars.

6:12 P. M.—Local for Warrenton.

6:12 P. M.—The Southern's South eastern Limited, for Ashville, Columbia, Charleston, Aiken, Augusta Savannah and Jacksonville. Through Pullmon Drawing room sleeping cars coaches dining cars.

10:02 P. M.—Daily Washington and Chattanooga Limited (via Lynchburg) First class coaches and sleeping cars to Roanoke, Knoxville, Chattanooga. Sleeper to New Orleans, Washington to Roanoke, Dining car service.

11:02 P. M. Daily—New York and New Orleans Limited. All Pullman train, Club and Observation cars to New Orleans. Dining Car Service.

4:27 A. M. Daily— Memphis Special Sleeping car and coaches Roanoke, Knoxville, Nashville, Chattanooga, and Memphis. Dining service. Washington sleeping car open 10 p. m.

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ADAM A. WESCHLER, Auctioneer.

Auction sale of very valuable tracts of land well located in the County of Alexandria, Virginia.

PURSUANT to the terms of a deed of trust bearing date on April 8, 1911, between Susan P. A. Calvert and George E. Calvert, her husband, and the undersigned Trustees, default having been made in the payment of the interest on the sum secured thereby, and at the request of the holder of the note or bond secured thereby, the undersigned Trustees will offer for sale at public auction, at Alexandria County Court House, Alexandria County Virginia, at 3 o'clock P. M. Wednesday, March 10th 1915, those tracts or parcels of land in Jefferson Magisterial District, Alexandria County, Virginia, with all improvements thereon, constituting one tract containing approximately 235 acres, said tracts being bounded, as follows:

FIRST—All that tract of land being part of a certain tract of land in said County on Four Mile Creek, allotted to Mrs. Frances Swann in the partition of the estate of Charles Alexander, Sr., and therein referred to as lot No. 5, plat 1, and recorded in the land records of Alexandria County, Virginia, and which is particularly bounded and described as follows, to wit:

BEGINNING at a stake on the south side of the County or Factory Road; thence running south 26 degrees west 75.55 poles; thence north 64 degrees west 4.82 poles; thence south 26 degrees west 83.26 poles; thence north 89 degrees west 32.40 poles; thence north 23¾ degrees east 176.88 poles to a stake on the south side of said County or Factory Road; thence with the south side of said County Road with the south line thereof southerly 39.50 poles to the point of beginning, containing 30 acres, more or less, exclusive of the ground occupied by the Loudoun and Hampshire Railway, or its successors, through which land the said Railway passes; said property having been conveyed to the said Susan P. A. Calvert, with other property, by Frederick P. Russell and wife, by deed dated June 28, 1905, and recorded among the land records of Alexandria County, Virginia, in Deed Book 111, page 349.

SECOND—All that tract bounded and described as follows, to wit:

BEGINNING at "B", a stone on the east side of the Georgetown Road leading to Alexandria, corner to No. 1; thence south 17. degrees east 17¾ poles to "C", a stake and stone between a sassafras and wild cherry tree bushes in the north angle formed by said road and the road leading to and over the stone bridge corner to No. 1, south 12¾ degrees east 14½ poles to "I", a stone set on the west side of the Georgetown Road, corner to Swann, with his line south 23 degrees 9' west at 7 poles crossing the Loudoun and Hampshire Railway (Now W. O. and W.) and at 28½ poles crossing a branch 174.3 poles to "H", 3 small red oak sprouts 5 feet northwest of a bunch of chestnut sprouts on the brow of a hill; thence north 15 degrees 41' east 195½ poles to "G" a locust stake thence north 60¼ degrees east 7.4 poles to the beginning, containing 13 acres, exclusive of 3 roods and 37 poles covered by said Railway and County Road; said property having been conveyed to the said Susan P. A. Clavert, by C. C. Carlin and wife, by deed dated January 5, 1905, and recorded among the land records of Alexandria County, Virginia, in Deed Book 110, page 596.

THIRD—All that tract or parcel of land bounded and described as follows, to wit:

Lot No.2 in the partition between Harriet R. Wattles and J. K. M. Norton and C. C. Carlin, dated June 21, 1892, and recorded in Liber N, No. 4, page 297, one of the land records of the said county.

BEGINNING at "G", a locust stake in the Mt. Ida line, the southeast corner of lot No. 1, and 437¼ feet eastward from a set stone in said line (the southeast corner of the land belonging to Danenhower), thence north 13 degrees 34' east 4350 feet to "C", in the middle of Four Mile Run passing a locust stake on the south bank of said Run; thence down said Run south 72 degrees 5' east 98 feet south 45 degrees 35' east 496 feet to "D", a stake in the north bank of said Run and in the Georgetown and Alexandria County Road; thence with said Road crossing the said Run south 1 degrees 15' west 365 feet south 34 degrees 20' east 181½ feet to "F", a stake in the east side of said road. Thence with the east side of said Road south 16 degrees 10' west 99 feet south 12 degrees 20' east 92½ feet to "H", a stake and stone; thence crossing said Road south 68 degrees 40' west 122 feet to "I", a locust stake; thence south 17 degrees 52' west 3268½ feet to "K", a stake in Mt. Ida line; thence with said line north 88 degrees 5' west 437¼ feet to the beginning, containing 54.23 acres, more or less; it being the same property which was conveyed to the said Susan P. A. Calvert, by Belle H. Ford and husband, by deed dated May 31, 1904. and recorded among the land records of Alexandria County, Virginia, in Liber 110 Folio 93.

FOURTH—All that tract or parcel of land bounded and described as follows, to wit:

Lot No. 1, in the partition between Harriet R. Wattles and C. C. Carlin and J. K. M. Norton, dated June 21, 1892, and recorded in Liber N, No. 4, page 297.

BEGINNING at "A," a set stone at the southeast corner of the land belonging to Danenhower; thence north 9 degrees 25' east 3992½ feet to "R", in the middle of Four Mile Run; thence down said Run south 76 degrees 5' east 250 feet north 29 degrees 25' east 250 feet north 66 degrees 55' east 355 feet south 72 degrees 5' east 114 feet to "C", thence leaving the Run and passing a locust stake on the south bank of the Run south 13 degrees 34' west 4350 feet to "G", a locust stake in the Mt. Ida line; thence with said line north 88 degrees 2' west 437¼ feet to the beginning, containing 55.23 acres, more or less; it being the same property which was conveyed to the said Susan P. A. Calvert by Emory E. Hoge and Wife, by deed dated June 20, 1904, and recorded among the land records of Alexandria County, Virginia in Deed Book 110, page 189.

FIFTH—All that tract or parcel of land bounded and described as follows, to wit:

BEGINNING at a planted stone monument where the east line of the land hereby conveyed intersects the south line of right of way of the Bluemont branch of the Southern Railway. thence with the east line of the same south 9 degrees 06' west 3356.2 feet; thence north 88 degrees 42' west 866.2 feet to a planted stone; thence north 4 degrees 30' east 3659.7 feet to a planted stone on the line of said right of way; thence with the line of said right of way south 74 degrees 36' east 483.5 feet to a stone south 72 degrees 25' east 299.5 feet to a stone south 70 degrees 47' east 199.6 feet to a stone; and thence south 68 degrees 58' east 178.7 feet to the point of beginning, containing 80.9 acres, according to the survey made by D. J. Howell: it being the same property which was conveyed to the said Susan P. A. Calvert by Mary F. Danenhower, by deed dated December 8, 1904, and recorded among the land records of Alexandria County Virginia, in Liber 110, Folio 536.

This property is about five miles from Washington and about two miles from Alexandria, and the Bluemont branch of the Southern Railway Company (now the Great Falls and Old Dominion Railway Co.) runs through the property.

It is well located for purposes of subdivision or other building purpose,its well drained, and is one of the largest tracts offered for sale in recent years in Alexandria County. The above tract of land will first be offered for sale separately, and the highest bid for each tract will be received. The entire tract will then be offered as a whole, and the property knocked down to the highest bidders.

TERMS OF SALE: CASH. Conveyancing at the cost of the purchaser or purchasers.

Any one interested may call on either of the undersigned Trustees for any information desired or for an examination of the map of Alexandria County showing the exact location of the land.

C. E. NICOL
GARDNER L. BOOTHE ..
Trustees,

LETTERS CHARGES GRAFT.

Salem Man Must Testify Before Legislative Investigating Committee.

Richmond, Feb. 8.—Having charged that "graft" exists in connection with the adoption of school book lists in Vinginia, B. F. Shelor, president of the Salem (Va.) Civic Betterment Club, has been summoned to come to Richmond and give a complete explanation, under oath, before the Legislative committee now investigating the schoolbook question, of charges he has made.

The letter in question, which apparently questions the integrity of the State Board of Education, was addressed to Senator W. L. Andrews, of Roanoke. Mr. Shelor in his letter states that the club of which he is the head has been inquiring into the schoolbook matter for a long time, and now that the matter is being considered by a legislative committee he believes the information which has been gathered should be made public.

In his letter Mr. Shelor charges that some of the books selected by the board for adoption in the public schools are entirely unfit for use, and that, in the opinion of many parents, children are required to study entirely too many subjects. With reference to "graft" in the present system, the letter says, in part:

"The writer has discussed this with the School Board here, and they say that the State Board is responsible. The Attorney-General writes us that our local board is responsible for this state of affairs, and many people say that graft is at the head of it, that whoever gets the rakeoff is not satisfied with the amount on the necessary number of books, but adds to the list to get more money."

TWENTY MINERS KILLED.

One Hundred And Sixty Others Entombed, But They Escape.

Fayetteville, Tenn., Feb. 8.—Twenty miners were killed Saturday by an explosion in the Carlisle Mine, of the New River Coal Company. One hundred and sixty others were entombed, but escaped.

The cage and air shafts were not damaged, which probably accounted for the escape of so large a percentage of the entombed men. The explosion is believed to have been due to the ignition of a pocket of gas from a miner's lamp. One of the rescued men, suffering from burns, was sent to a hospital.

The names of the dead have not been ascertained. All of them were of foreign birth or negroes. It was said the interior of the mine was damaged only slightly, and that operations can be resumed within a few days.

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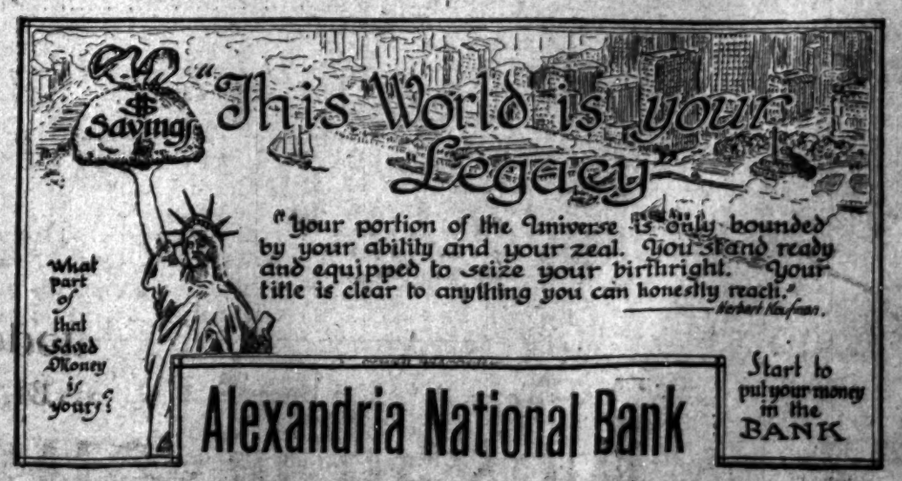
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